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Melanie Sloan  
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Citizens for Responsibility and Ethics in Washington  
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Washington, D.C. 20005

**RE: MUR 5908**

**Dear Ms. Sloan:**

This is in reference to the complaint you filed with the Federal Election Commission on March 14, 2007, concerning Peace Through Strength Political Action Committee and Meredith G. Kelley, as Treasurer. Based on that complaint and information provided by the Respondents, the Commission found that there was reason to believe that Peace Through Strength Political Action Committee and Meredith G. Kelley, in her official capacity as Treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. § 441a, a provision of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended, and 11 C.F.R. § 110.2(b)(1) of the Commission Regulations; that Duncan Hunter violated 2 U.S.C. §§ 432(e)(1) and 441a(f), and 11 C.F.R. §§ 100.72 and 100.131; and that Hunter for President, Inc. and Bruce Young, in his official capacity as Treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. §§ 434(a)(3) and 441a(f). Subsequently, the Commission instituted an investigation of this matter. However, after considering the circumstances of this matter, the Commission determined to take no further action as to the Respondents and closed the file in this matter on June 29, 2010.

Documents related to the case will be placed on the public record within 30 days. See Statement of Policy Regarding Disclosure of Closed Enforcement and Related Files, 68 Fed. Reg. 70,426 (Dec. 18, 2003). A Statement of Reasons further explaining the basis for the Commission's decision will follow.

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The Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended, allows a complainant to seek judicial review of the Commission's decision regarding this matter. See 2 U.S.C. § 437g(a)(8).

If you have any questions, please contact me at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

  
Camilla Jackson Jones  
Attorney

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